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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This Response is in response to the final Office Action mailed October 14, 2005 for the above identified patent application.

Because the three month due date for response, January 14, 2006, fell on a Saturday and because the following Monday, January 16, 2006, is a federal holiday, the filing of this Response on Tuesday, January 17, 2006, is timely.

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